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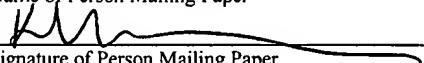
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. New Patent Application Transmittal;
2. Patent Application, (58 pages);
3. Five (5) sheets of informal drawings of Figs 1-5;
4. Application Data Sheet;
5. Check in the amount of \$672.00 for the requisite filing fee; and
6. Return Post Card.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, Applicant claims small entity status.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in the total fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 25436/1652.
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Respectfully submitted,

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NEW UNITED STATES UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Enclosed herewith is a new patent application of:

First Named Inventor (or application identifier): Ronald W. Davis

Title of Invention:

Type: New

Continuation of: _____

Continuation-in-Part of: _____

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and includes the following papers:

Specification 58 pages (including specification, claims, abstract)/38 claims (2 independent)

Declaration/Power of Attorney is:

attached executed unexecuted
 NOT included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

3. 5 Distinct sheets of Formal Informal Drawings

4. Preliminary Amendment.

5. Information Disclosure Statement

Form 1449
 A copy of each cited prior art reference

6. Assignment with Recordation Cover Sheet.

7. Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s):

Country	Application Number	Date of Filing (day, month, year)
US	60/256,121	15 December 2000

8. Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 based upon the following application(s):

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9. Priority document(s).

10. Statement of Small Entity Status, Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

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11. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix).
12. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission.
 - Computer Readable Copy.
 - Paper Copy (identical to computer copy).
 - Statement verifying identity of above copies.
13. Request for Non-Publication and Certification under 35 USC 122 (b)(2)(B)(i)
14. Calculation of Fees:

FEES FOR	TOTAL CLAIMS	EXCESS CLAIMS	FEE	AMOUNT DUE
Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))				\$740.00
Total Claims in Excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	38	18	\$18.00	\$324.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	2	0	\$84.00	0
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))		Y	\$280.00	\$280.00
Subtotal - Filing Fee Due				\$1,344.00
Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)			MULTIPLY BY 0.50	\$672.00
TOTAL FILING FEE DUE				\$672.00
Assignment Recordation Fee (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h))		0	\$40.00	
GRAND TOTAL DUE				\$672.00

15. PAYMENT is:
 - included in the amount of _____ by our enclosed check. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the fees to Deposit Account 16-0085, Ref. 25436/1652.
 - not included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

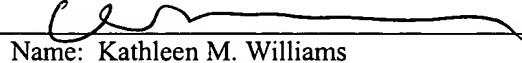
16. All correspondence for the attached application should be directed to:

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17. Other: Application Data Sheet

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